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Title:

Structure to enclose a safe zone on and above a mattress and its support permitting limited movement only of a bedridden patient xin the safe zone.

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Dear Sir:

RE: Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application

Responsive to the Formalities Letter dated June 6, 2004, Applicant submits herewith the fees due.

Respectfully submitted,

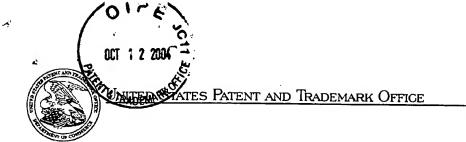
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is insufficient.

 Applicant must submit \$ 20 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$85 for a Small Entity

- \$20 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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